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In re Application of Xin Qiu

Application Number 09/576,516

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For Secure Control of Security Mode

Art Group 2131

Examiner Jackson, Jenise E

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96)

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